

Salt Lake City 2003 USS DeHaven Reunion

The reunion will be held September 10 – 13, 2003 at the Embassy Suites Hotel, 110 W 600 S., Salt Lake City, UT 84101. Registration will begin on Tuesday, September 9, 2003 at noon in the hospitality room.

The hotel requested that you call on Monday – Friday to make your reservations direct with them at 1–800–325-7643 and be sure to mention USS DeHaven to get the room rate of \$75. The total fee for the room with all taxes will be \$83.40 per night.

The hotel offers a free complimentary breakfast of cooked-to-order breakfast including a variety of fresh fruit, dry cereals, hot oatmeal, bagels, toast, bacon, sausage, eggs, French toast, pancakes, hash browns, as well as juices, milk, tea, and coffee. There is also a Manager's Reception every afternoon from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM in their Atrium, offering both alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages and snacks. Marie and I tried both the breakfast and the reception and the food and service were great.

Each room is a two-room suite with a sleeper sofa, a well-lit dining/work table, refrigerator, microwave, coffee maker, iron, two telephones with data port, and two remote control televisions with cable and Nintendo.

There is also courtesy van shuttle service to and from Salt Lake City International Airport. For those who drive there is free covered parking. For those with an RV arrangements can be made with the hotel just across the street for parking. So when you make your reservations with me, just let me know if you are coming in an RV and I'll let the hotel know how many there will be.

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Plan of the Day

USS DeHaven DD 469/727

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Tuesday 9 September, 2003

- 12 noon – Open registration desk in hospitality room.

Wednesday 10 September, 2003

- 6:00 am – hospitality room opens
- 7:45 am – meet in lobby for a tour of Salt Lake City.
- 8:00 am – depart on tour. The downtown driving tour will include a VIP tour of Historic Temple Square and the many attractions around it, such as the Genealogical Library, the Museum of Church History and Art, the Tabernacle and Visitor Center, and the Joseph Smith Memorial Building. You will enjoy an opportunity to receive a demonstration on family history research, with a chance to research a family name of your own. Your guide will then take you to the Conference Center, the Brigham Young Historic Homes and Properties, the Church Office Buildings, and the many magnificent gardens. We will also see the Utah State Capitol, the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers Museum, the gothic City and County Building, then a drive along the elegant South Temple Street past the Governor's Mansion and other historic residences of the mining boom era. We will then continue on to the University of Utah Campus including the Olympic Stadium and athlete housing at the adjacent Fort Douglas Officer's quarters that have been restored. Before returning to the hotel we would make a stop at "This is the Place" monument with it's commanding view of the city. Most of the city tour will be accomplished by driving by the points of interest. The only stops that we will exit the bus will be Temple Square (including the Tabernacle, Visitor Center, and Smith Memorial Building) and "This is the Place" monument.
- 12:30 or so, return to the Hotel.

- 2:00 pm – registration desk reopens. Dinner on your own. Join the comradeship in hospitality room.

Thursday 11 September, 2003

6:00 am – hospitality room opens

10:00 am – business meeting in the hospitality room.

The balance of the day is free time. Visit with shipmates or see sites on your own. The hotel is only six blocks from Temple Square if you wish to return there to see more or to do more genealogy research in their library.

Friday 12 September, 2003

- 6:00 am – hospitality room opens
- 7:455 am – meet in lobby for tour.
- 8:00 am – You will go the Bingham Kennecott Copper Mine. This is one of the world's largest open pit mines. Located in the Oquirrh Mountains on the west side of the valley, the vast mine is visible from view points, many miles away, along the Eastern Wasatch Mountain Range. There is an excellent Visitor Center and the view from the crest of the pit is astonishing! You will then go North toward the Great Salt Lake. The duration of the tour will be spent exploring Antelope Island State Part. The island is the largest in the lake and home to elk, deer, antelope, bobcats, coyotes, birds, and bison. The Visitor Center is both comfortable and informative and the view of the lake and the surrounding mountains is beautiful!
- 12:30 pm – or so, return to hotel
- 2:00 pm – hospitality room reopens for more comradeship and looking at the various mementos brought by the members.

Saturday 13 September 2003

- 6:00 am – hospitality room opens
- Another free day to sightsee, shop, or visit. Or you may want to rest up for the picture taking before the banquet. The hospitality

room will be open all day for visiting and looking at the memorabilia.

- 5:00 pm – start of photo shoot for yearbook CD.
- 7:00 pm – banquet. We will have roasted Cornish Game Hen served with Lingonberry Sauce, salad, chef's choice of potato, rice or pasta, fresh vegetables, rolls and butter, desert and regular or decaffeinated Arabica Bean Coffee and Tea.

Following the banquet will be the memorial services and a short program.

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REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT

NAME AS YOU WANT IT TO
APPEAR ON YOUR NAME BADGE: _____

YEARS ON BOARD: 19_____ - 19_____ RATE/RANK_____

SPOUSE AND/OR
GUEST NAMES: _____

STREET
ADDRESS: _____

CITY,
STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE
NUMBER: _____

NAME OF
EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE
NUMBER: _____

ARRIVAL DATE: _____ DEPARTURE DATE: _____

ARE YOU STAYING IN HOTEL? YES _____ NO _____

ARE YOU FLYING? _____ DRIVING? _____ RV? _____

Listed below are all registration, tour, and meal costs for the reunion. Please enter how many people will be participating in each event and the total amount. Send that amount payable to: DeHaven Sailors Assn. All registration forms and payments must be received by mail on/or before: August 8, 2003.

USS DeHAVEN SAILORS ASSN.
115 Cimarron Rd
Crescent OK 73028

	Price per person	X	No of persons	=	Cost
Registration (fee covers administrative expense)	\$15.00	X	_____	=	\$ _____
CD of the reunion	\$10.00	X	_____	=	\$ _____
Wednesday Tour	\$18.00	X	_____	=	\$ _____
Friday Tour	\$21.00	X	_____	=	\$ _____
Saturday Night Banquet	\$28.00	X	_____	=	\$ _____
Total					\$ _____

Full refunds will be sent for the above mentioned activities if the cancellation is received by August 8, 2003. After that date, refund amount will depend on vendor policies. Please call Sam at 405-969-2995 if you have any further questions. Confirmations will be sent upon receipt of your registration.